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WM. B. PELL, PROPRIETOR.

THE SURRATT MYSTERY.

A despatch from Washington to the *Herald* says:

"It is the opinion of persons high in authority and influence here that the trial of John H. Surratt will be ultimately abandoned. The impression is that there is a general conviction prevailing in official quarters that the unfortunate Mrs. Surratt was not guilty of the crime for which she was executed, and that the trial of her son would only result in more clearly establishing that fact. Such a development, of course, would not be relished by the Administration and others concerned in the trial and condemnation of the mother.—There is another cause, however, not very creditable, assigned why the President would not wish the trial to occur; but, as it would cast a deep slur upon the reputation of one who lately has not been sleeping on a bed of roses, I refrain from giving it publicity. It might only be creating another sensation, and, perhaps, without justification, for the gratification of scandal-mongers. However this may be, it is not believed that the evidence in possession of the Government will warrant the trial of John H. Surratt."

We think it time to say that the many mysteries surrounding this Surratt case should cease. Since the assassination of President Lincoln, we have had endless surmises, and makeshifts, and tricks, in reference to the crime and those accused.—In the first place, we had the Government proclamations accusing Davis, and Sanders and Thompson of the assassination. Then we had the trials, in which these persons were solemnly arraigned as participants in that crime. There are few things that our children will less care to read than that self same trial, with its wayward and rude justice. Then came the swift execution of Mrs. Surratt, although Payne, an assassin by his own confession, asserted her innocence. We had the escape of Surratt—his wanderings under government espionage—the fact that it was known where he was, and no effort made to arrest him until Mr. Boutwell, speaking the public opinion of the nation, compelled his arrest. We have also had the imprisonment of Davis as an assassin—if there is any value in the judgment of the Commission that tried Payne and his companions. His continued imprisonment, without trial or the pretence of a trial, is in itself a mystery and a shame. Then came General Butler's famous speech, showing that the diary of Booth had been suppressed, on the conspiracy trial, and the declaration of a great lawyer that Mrs. Surratt had been innocently hanged. Immediately came an announcement that the War Department would print the Booth diary so soon as something or other occurred. Well, time enough has passed for twenty things to happen, and nothing is heard of the Booth diary! Finally, we have the most provoking delays about the trial of Surratt, with an announcement that he is not to be tried, because the trial might establish the fact that Mrs. Surratt was not guilty at all!

It is time that this juggling should cease, and especially as the Surratt case is only a part of the juggling that has been permitted since the death of Mr. Lincoln. That tragedy is one of the most mysterious in the annals of crime. There is something hidden that we crave to know. What it is we cannot say; but the records of the trial, the continued imprisonment of Mr. Davis, and especially the shuffling of the Government, compel distrust and suspicion. Why has not Booth's diary been published? Why is George N. Sanders not demanded from the British Government, if the Administration really believe he was a partner in the crime of Booth? Why is not Davis either punished or released? And why is not John H. Surratt, against whom, at least, all the evidence we have points unerringly, brought to justice?—*N. Y. Tribune.*

From the New York World.

THE MORAL OF A TRAGEDY.

The recent trial and conviction of C. C. Williams, of Norwich, Connecticut, for "assault with intent to kill his daughter by starvation," brings to light a case similar in character to that of Joel Lindsley, who whipped his little son to death, but infinitely more inhuman in its details. It appears from the reports of the evidence, which we print elsewhere, that this man Williams was an ardent spiritualist, and, by the direction of the spirits, endeavored to curb what he deemed the uncontrollable will of his daughter Eunice, a bright little girl of thirteen years. In this purpose he was aided by Miss Sarah A. Mann, a niece of the late Horace Mann, and apparently the housekeeper for Williams, who had transferred his wife from his house to a lunatic asylum. The story of little Eunice's tortures is told in the evidence given in the case; but the moral of her father's conduct appears only as the reader may choose to draw it for himself. Yet it is a noticeable fact that both Lindsley and Williams—the one a Puritan in belief and the other a spiritualist—embraced the same intolerant dogmatism which so characterizes leading New Englanders; and Miss Mann, who aided and abetted Williams in all his acts of cruelty to his daughter, inherited most naturally the spirit of intolerance of opposition, however slight, which was so marked in the public career of her uncle, Horace Mann, of Massachusetts. The assertion of a leading Tennessee Unionist, that Radicalism was a species of insanity, finds confirmation in the conduct of these people. Each was a Radical to the core; each claimed to be acting from conscientious motives, and each sacrificed all the holier feelings of human nature under pretence of subduing the will of a little child.

It is no stretch of the fancy to trace, in the treatment of the smitten South by the Radicals, the workings of the same spirit which would torture little children to gratify a certain self-will. And when Senator Wilson next informs the motley crowds in the Southern States which listen to his harangues that he entertains only kindly feelings towards those who were lately in arms against the Government, the reports of his oft-repeated invectives against Southern men and women, and the attitude that he would be sure to assume in case of the slightest show of opposition to the tyrannical will of the party which controls the national legislature of which he is an acknowledged leader, clearly prove that there courses in his veins and in the veins of his adherents, the same spirit which led Lindsley and Williams to kill their children on the plea of insubordination; and from all such, 'Good Lord, deliver us."

A Cincinnati saloon keeper lost one of his eyes the other day by the explosion of a bottle of mineral water, one of the fragments cutting his eye completely in two.

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Feb 22-168-tf

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Pickled and smoked Salmon.
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Potatoes, White Mercer, Peach Blow and Jackson Whites.
Gunny Bagging, Rope, Sole Leather, French Calf Skins, Lining Skins, &c. Shoe Pegs, Tacks, Awls, &c.
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Oranges, Lemons, Figs, Currants and Prunes, and everything usually kept in a first-class Grocery.
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Feb 7-155-3m.

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NOTICE.

OFFICE SEABOARD & ROANOKE R. R. CO.,
PORTSMOUTH, VA., March 23d, 1867.

It has been understood by the officers in charge of transportation via the Seaboard and Inland Freight Route, that letters addressed to the Railroad Agent at Portsmouth, on the subject of freights, are unanswered, and that in consequence, causes of delay are not explained, and claims for losses and damage unsettled, and as the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad Company, who are the forwarding agents for the line, are satisfied that these causes of complaint are not due to their Agents, but to the inaccuracy of the mails, in order to test this subject, the Manager of the Seaboard Road requests that whenever persons have written to the undersigned Agent of the Seaboard Road, and after waiting a reasonable time for a reply, have not received it, that they will address him a letter enclosing a duplicate of the letter they had previously addressed to the agent. If this is complied with, and the Manager of the Seaboard Road receives the letter, he gives assurance that it shall be promptly investigated and replied to.

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JAS. McCARRICK,
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Portsmouth, Va.

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April 4-1m

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The tract contains 45 acres, 20 of which are cleared and under fence, and well adapted to the cultivation of cotton or the cereals.

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Few more desirable places are offered for sale, combining, as it does, all the advantages of a city and rural residence.

W. H. HAMILTON.
April 20-217-2w*

NOTICE.

As assignees of *J. F. Foard*, we shall sell at the Court House door in the city of Raleigh, on the 5th day of May 1867, *one hundred and eighty-two Shares* of the Capital Stock of the Lockville Mining and Manufacturing Company.

Terms made known on day of sale.

ALEX. WALKER,
O. C. FARRAR,
J. D. WALKER.
April 4-203-1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Dec 17-tf

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BACON, LARD, CHEESE,
SUGAR, MOLASSES,
COFFEE, TEA,
SOAP,
CANDLES,
RICE,
SALT, &c., &c.

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Dec 17-tf

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

$300 REWARD!

A Proclamation by His Excellency, Jonathan Worth, Governor of North Carolina.

WHEREAS, IT HAS BEEN REPRESented to me that J. Q. Bryant, late of the County of Wake in said State, stands charged with the murder of one Wiley Sanks, late of said County and State, and that said Bryant is a fugitive from justice.

Now, THEREFORE, in order that the said Bryant may be arrested and brought to justice for the said alleged murder, I, JONATHAN WORTH, Governor of said State, do issue this my proclamation, offering the reward of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for his apprehension and delivery to the sheriff of Wake County.

In witness whereof, His Excellency (SEAL.) JONATHAN WORTH, Governor of said State, has hereto set his hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed.—Done at the City of Raleigh, this the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1867.

By the Governor: JONATHAN WORTH.
WM. H. BAGLEY, Private Sec'y.

DESCRIPTION.—J. Q. Bryant is between 25 and 30 years old, about 6 feet 1 inch high, straight, square shouldered, light complexioned, down look, incessantly chewing tobacco, visiting dissipated places, fond of gaming, dark hair, has a sore leg (or has had, which will leave a scar.)
Feb 22—168-tf

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

$300 REWARD!!

A PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency, JONATHAN WORTH, Governor of North Carolina:

WHEREAS, IT HAS BEEN REPRESented to me that PETER LANE (Colored,) late of the County of Wake, in said State, stands charged with the murder of one Mayo, (Colored,) late of said County and State, and that said Lane is a fugitive from justice:

Now THEREFORE, in order that the said Lane may be arrested and brought to justice for the said alleged murder, I, JONATHAN WORTH, Governor of said State, do issue this my proclamation, offering the reward of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for his apprehension and delivery to the Sheriff of Wake County.

In witness whereof, His Excellency (SEAL.) JONATHAN WORTH, Governor of said State, has hereto set his hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed. Done at the City of Raleigh, this the 22d. day of February A. D. 1867.

By the Governor: JONATHAN WORTH,
WM. H. BAGLEY,
Private Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.—Peter Lane, is a bright mulatto, 6 feet 1 or 2 inches high, weighs 180 or 190 pounds—35 or 40 years old—heavy goatee—full face—high forehead—likely, quite intelligent—very polite—quick spoken—and is a black-smith by trade.
Feb 22-168-1m

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April 16-213-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

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April 6-205-1ywad

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April 8-1ydaw

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Agents for the Philadelphia Southern Mail Steamship line.

Agents for Goodspeed's weekly Steamship line from New York.

Agents for Jonas Smith & Co's., line of New York sail packets.
Feb 6-154-3m

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EBEN YOUNG, A. L. SCOTT.
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Feb 15-162-3m

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WM. E. PELL, | SEATON GALES, EDITORS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 1, 1867.

STUMP SPEAKING.

This has been a great source of evil in this country. It is the chief lever of the demagogue, to deceive and mislead the people—to conceal truth, rather than promulge it. It is unfortunate that the appetite of the masses ever demanded it, and that decent and honorable men have been obliged to resort to stump-speaking in order to refute and combat error. Few men, however respectable or honored, have escaped entirely the contamination of the hustings, while candidates for the votes of the masses. Truly honorable men, of course, will not lie outright, but the temptation at such times to conceal truth, which, if promulged, might harm them, has been too often yielded to. Even men filling the grave and honorable position of U. S. Senator do not hesitate, on such occasions, to conceal truth, in order to promote party ends. Such was the impression made upon intelligent minds, on hearing Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts. In the better days of the Republic, the people looked to the U. S. Senate for political integrity and statesmanship—not for trickery and demagoguism.

But the object of this article is especially designed to urge upon public speakers at this time, if they intend to keep up this stumping, (which is evidently doing much harm, in calling off our laboring people from necessary work, thereby forcing upon the vicious the necessity of stealing for a living, or throwing them upon the philanthropy of the government to supply them with bread,) the necessity of *great plainness and particularity* in all their speeches. The masses, especially the colored people, need *instruction*, not appeals to their passions or sympathies. Those who have recently addressed the masses, would be surprised, if they knew the many false and unaccountable impressions which have been made by their speeches. We have heard of a number of these strange hallucinations. A gentleman remarked to us the other day that his cook, who, by the way, would not be regarded as a very ignorant colored woman, and who had heard Mr. Wilson at Tupper's Church, remarked that Mr. Wilson was to speak at the Capitol on *raiseing the rents*, and that the colored people were "mighty anxious" to hear him. A gentleman states that one or two colored men in his employment, after hearing Mr. Wilson's speech at Tupper's Church, came to work next morning, highly elated with the assurance which they thought that Mr. Wilson had given them, that they were soon to have 40 acres of land. We learn that Mr. Wilson gave no such encouragement to any.

Now there are many of the colored people of this city, who are very capable of understanding a speech, but there are large numbers every where who are not, and hence the great necessity of plain speech and fair, honest dealing with them.

"The Radicals will see to it that the negroes register to a man, with the hope that they will be able to use them. This may be taken for granted. The importance of the Southern whites holding the power of the majority will be apparent when we suggest something that has recently leaked out, viz: that in the event of the whites failing to register and leaving the control of the State to the Radicals and their negro allies, *it is the purpose of the Radicals to advise the negroes to vote against the ratification of the new Constitution*, FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVOKING CONGRESS INTO SOME MEASURE OF CONFISCATION!"—*Newbern Commercial.*

It cannot be doubted that every effort will be made to induce every colored voter in the South to register. The dominant party intends to ascertain the precise strength of the negro vote. We suppose it to be equally interested in ascertaining the white vote. In *all* parties there are bad, selfish, vindictive men, though it would seem there is a wonderful proclivity among them, about now, to coalesce and unite with that party which promises most to gratify their vindictiveness. We have heard the same purpose attributed to the Radicals, to which the *Commercial* alludes, but we have no evidence that such is the purpose of the party. There are some, no doubt, wicked enough to advise such a course, but we hope better things of the majority, which seems to be composed of more moderate Radicals.

The course, however, pursued in New Orleans in regard to white voters, looks as if the vindictive men have been placed in power as registers, and that they are determined to reduce the white vote as much as possible. We re-produce a short article, which we published yesterday, taken from the New Orleans *Times*:

"The disgraceful exhibition of the utter trampling upon all law, right, and decency, known as the registration in this city, is still continued. More than half of the white citizens fully qualified under the law are turned away, while every negro who applies is immediately accepted and registered. Naturalized citizens are not only required to produce their papers, but to leave them with the registrars, with a very dim prospect of ever getting them back. Old citizens who have lived here a quarter of a century, and who pay individually more taxes than the whole Radical party in the State pay collectively, are turned away because they have been at some remote period of their lives school directors or aldermen under the city government, and are suspected of having sympathized with the rebellion."

We invite attention to the admirable Order of Gen. Ord, of the Fourth Military District, which will be found in another column. The advice which he gives the Freedmen is most excellent and practical.

SENATOR WILSON, in his address in the Capitol Square, on yesterday, endeavored, with singular disingenuousness, to make capital out of a remark falsely imputed to one of the speakers who addressed the colored people, in this city, on Easter Monday. The remark in question was attributed to the speaker referred to by Conway, in his inflammatory and and jesuitical harangue in Tupper's Church, subsequently published in the *Standard*, and was to the effect that "if the blacks did not vote as their "rebel" employers wanted them to vote, they would forfeit their situations." Now every one who was present at the meeting, on Easter Monday, knows very well that no such sentiment was uttered; and if this man Conway had done nothing else but pervert and falsify the position of the speaker alluded to, that fact would, of itself, be sufficient to illustrate his character and purposes.—But he did much more, and not the least of the evidences of his unscrupulousness and meanness is the lying account of the meeting on Capitol Square, which he wrote to the New York *Tribune*. The first speaker, on that occasion, is represented as having been interrupted, at every stage of his remarks, by insulting and disrespectful exclamations from the audience, which are even specifically manufactured and incorporated in the letter. It is needless to say that *not one of them* was made, but that, on the contrary, the only audible remarks made by the crowd were those of approval.

The remark which has been meanly tortured into the sentiment, upon which Senator Wilson went out of his way to comment with such virtuous severity, was simply this, and nothing more:

"In the meantime, before the day they are to cast their votes, they should not permit politics and politicians to cause them to forfeit the confidence of their employers by neglecting their ordinary business."

Further comment is unnecessary on this point.

Senator Wilson's lofty indignation and "holier than thou" unction were entirely misplaced. No man in the South, except those of his own creed, dreams of such intolerance or proscription as that which he conjured up. That is not the mode in which Southern people of the right stripe vent their prejudices or seek to control the confidence or affection of their neighbors or employers. Such a mode of proceeding is reserved for New England appropriation, and they are entitled to a monopoly of it. We have not the slightest doubt that while Senator Wilson was harping upon this very string, for his own unfair and demagogical purposes, he was perfectly well acquainted with the following well-authenticated facts of Radical proscription in his own neighborhood.

[From the New Jersey Standard.]

The Radical manufacturers at Rockville have discharged seventy men from their mills for voting the Democratic ticket.—The quarrymen in Portland, who voted the Democratic ticket, have been notified by the Radical "masters" that their services will "not be needed for a year to come."

[From the Hartford Times, April 16th.]

A CARD.—I have been employed upon the farm of Mr. James A. Brown, of Westchester, in New London County, and was dismissed by him on account of my vote. He is a Republican. I am a Democrat. He is a contractor in Colt's Arms factory. He refused, also, to pay me the 15th of April, and on this account I had to walk to Middle town. I am now stopping at No. 16 Kilbourn street, Hartford. JOHN KIPP.

Hartford, April 16, 1867.

[From the Hartford Times, April 13th.]

We have chronicled the fact that the Republican managers of the factories in Rockville have discharged fifty of their employees who voted the Democratic ticket. They put it on the ground that they were members of the Rockville Workingmen's League, and say that they will turn away every operative in the various mills who belongs to that league. They have at the same time added an hour a day to the hours of labor—making twelve hours and cut down their wages ten per cent. This infamous proscription of men who differ with them in politics shows how insincere the Republicans were in claiming, before the election, to be the friends and champions of the workingmen.

In Windsor Locks a workingman was discharged on election day because he voted against the Republicans.

WORK STOPPED AT THE PORTLAND QUARRIES—PUBLIC MEETING.

In Portland the most shameful coercion of workingmen has for years been practised by the Republican employers. Men were told by open proclamation that they should lose their situations if they dared to vote the Democratic ticket.

For this assertion of their rights as freemen, the quarrymen were notified by the quarry owners that their services will not be required for the year to come.

PRESIDENT JOHNSON'S VISIT.—The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun* says that the President has not yet decided to accept the invitation from Raleigh to be present at the laying of a corner-stone of a monument in memory of his father, as important official matters in course of consummation may prevent him from being absent from Washington for some weeks.

Per contra, the Washington correspondent of the New York *World* says:

"The evening administration organ here announces on authority that President Johnson has accepted the invitation to visit Raleigh N. C., about the middle of next month. Raleigh is intimately acquainted with the youthful life of the President, and the invitation comes from old personal friends. There is also a special occasion for the visit. The long unknown grave of his father has been discovered, and the President is to be a witness of the erection of a monument with which it is to be adorned. He will be accompanied by Mr. Seward and one or two others of his Cabinet. He will take Richmond in his way, and after leaving Raleigh will visit other towns, and it is possible that he will occasionally address the people who may assemble to greet him."

THE STREET CARS.—We hear it rumored that General Schofield has under advisement the question of having permission secured to the colored people to ride in the street cars. If we are informed rightly, the plan proposed at head quarters is this: The major number of the cars shall be appropriated to "the public," that is, shall be accessible to white and blacks alike, but that a minor number of the cars may be devoted exclusively to the whites. We believe the arrangement proposed by the railway company is that a minor number of the cars, with colored conductors and colored drivers, should be appropriated to the colored population. The question, one way or other, will be settled in a few days.—*Rich. Whig.*

THE WHOLE of Senator Wilson's harangue, on yesterday, was in the spirit of the Pharisee: We "thank thee, O Lord, that" we "are not as other men are." The North was immaculate,—it never did wrong or thought wrong,—the Republicans are all saints, and, as such, are entitled to all that saints of right ought to have. The logical deduction from the whole tenor of his self panegyric was that 36 deg. 30 minutes constituted the line of demarcation between loyalty and disloyalty, enlightenment and heathendom, magnanimity and contumacy, civilization and barbarism, and so on through the whole catalogue of contrasts.

How successfully, if it had been deemed advisable, might the Senator have had the tables turned upon him, any one may see at a glance, who knows anything of the history of New England, particularly. The following from the Springfield (*Massachusetts*) *Republican* is apropos:

"Rev. Mr. Denton, agent of the Bible Society, has lately explored six wards of the city of Worcester, (Massachusetts) and found that 1,258 families out of 3,096—nearly one third—were destitute of the Bible. Of these families, 381 refused either to buy or accept the Bible as a gift. Mr. Denton found 634 Protestant families in the six wards who do not attend public worship. The Boston *Recorder* gives an account of a parish in Maine (name not mentioned) having a population of 1,800, of whom 1,600 do not attend church. These are but isolated instances among many, showing that from some cause a large portion of our New England population is becoming divorced from the religious ideas and customs of their fathers."

[Correspondence of the Sentinel.]

RECONSTRUCTION.

GENTLEMEN:—I think you are right in advising all our people, not excluded from the polls by the Sherman bill, to register themselves promptly. They can vote or not, afterwards, as duty or inclination prompt. We must take things as we find them, not as we would have them. I think the old North State is right, (as it generally is,) when it says we have no discretion about accepting or rejecting the Congressional plan of reconstruction. Having sworn in the amnesty oath to support all laws passed by Congress, until repealed or set aside by the Supreme Court, we must support this and all others that the Congress may hereafter pass, no matter how oppressive, ridiculous or absurd. We must support it until repealed or annulled by the Supreme Court. The only question, in my mind, about it is, whether North Carolina will, or ought to, take any steps to test its constitutionality, and how she will be affected if she organize under it and the Supreme Court afterwards decide it unconstitutional. Few persons doubt what the verdict of that Court would have been, as formerly constituted, but men and things have so changed that I have no opinion what kind of a decision would be made now on any question, nor have I any satisfactory opinion of my own whether it would be better for us to take the case to the Supreme Court, even if we knew that the Court would decide against the bill. Would the Congress respect such a decision, or would it not more likely attack and destroy the Supreme Court, indirectly if not directly?

Our hopes (in my opinion) lie in another direction. A few more defeats in the elections, North, like that in Connecticut, would, under existing circumstances, afford us more protection than any decision the Supreme Court could make, constituted as the Congress now is. I think it our duty to do ourselves no wrong voluntarily; hence my opposition to the Howard amendment. Had the Congress commanded it, the responsibility would have been on Congress, not on us, and, having taken an oath to support the Constitution and all the laws passed by Congress, we would certainly have supported that, as we will this Sherman bill.

I hope General Sickles will not only decide what officers are executive and judicial and what are not, but that he will minutely and specifically point out all the duties of the Registers and managers of the elections, so none may mistake their whole duty. I am glad that he is the Commander, and not the instrument of a party. I did hope that our people never would bind themselves to the engine of party again. How much better for the whole country, and how much more our influence, if we could all unite and struggle and contend for the right, regardless of party, in all State and national elections, support the very best men in the country, North and South, and those only who are disposed to deal justly with us, whether he be Republican or Democrat? A firm and united stand of that kind would soon win the leaders and aspirants for office and the rank and file would soon follow.—That policy, in a very few years, transformed a handful of abolitionists to the majority in the nation. Can we not learn something by observation and experience? The same policy, pursued by a united South, fully restored to the Union, would very soon be able to modify or remove the tax from Tobacco and Cotton or place a similar one on baled Hay and Wool, and equalize all other taxes, both North and South, with full protection to all other interests. * * * *

You are well aware that I opposed secession and the war,—was always a peace man, and one of the first men in the State to advocate the right and necessity for the negro to be allowed his testimony in the Courts. I well remember pleading with Senators *Harris* and *Jones*, and other Union men, to vote for the bill allowing the negroes to testify in the Courts. As Union men, they ought to have done it, but they would not. That measure was carried against the votes of the Radical Union men generally. What a change has come over them! What has caused it?

Some of the delegates to the late Raleigh Convention are secretly engaged in organizing the negroes into secret bands that, I fear, will lead to mischief. They hold their meetings in secret, take a solemn oath not to divulge anything that is advised, said or done, to any but those who are sworn like themselves. Their meetings, so far as known to outsiders, thus far, have been composed of adult negro men only, save the Radical Raleigh delegate, who, it is believed, brought a political or revolutionary secret from Raleigh to the arms-bearing colored people. None under eighteen years of age are said to be admitted, and, so far as we know, the regular red string society of whites here have not mixed nor mingled with the colored band recently organized.—Wonder if Gov. Holden had not better call on Gen. Sickles to stick a pin there, and issue an order requiring the teachers of colored people to deliver their lectures in public, and forbidding secret oaths unauthorized by law to be administered to them, lest bad men should take it in head to organize secret bands for mischief. WEST.

Hendersonville, N. C.

Kentucky's dead are resting on almost every battle-field, and in every grave-yard in the South. How consoling and gratifying to their relations and friends must it be, to know that on this day their graves will be strewn with bright flowers and bedewed with tears by the noble women of the South.—*Louisville Courier, April 26th.*

From the Vicksburg (Miss.) Herald.

GENERAL ORD'S LAST ORDER.

General Order, No. 5, will be found below. It appeals to the best points of Southern character. We find ourselves not only under the military control of a soldier, but a gentleman and a patriot. General Ord's advice to the freedmen is particularly appropriate, sensible and well-timed. We trust that every colored person will read, or have read to him, the third section of the admirable order.

No unprovoked or unnecessary harshness has marked the inauguration of military rule in Mississippi and Arkansas. The temple of our civil liberty remains. No civil officer has been disturbed in the faithful discharge of his duties. The sword has not been drawn nor the military dictator inaugurated amid a blast of trumpets, the roar of cannon, the clash of sabres and the shouts of soldiery. Governors, legislators and judges perform their functions with the assurance of aid and protection in the discharge of their legitimate duties.

The popular verdict is favorable to the head and heart of the commanding officer, and his conduct demands from us the performance of all the duties of quiet, law-abiding, honorable citizens:

HEADQ'RS FOURTH MILITARY DISTRICT,
VICKSBURG, MISS., April 15, 1867.

General Orders, No. 5.—1. No elections will hereafter be held in Mississippi or Arkansas to fill vacancies existing or occurring in offices of the Provisional Governments of those States, until a registration of voters is made. Officers of the Provisional State Governments who may have been by statute law competent to make appointments to fill vacancies occurring before the passage of the Reconstruction act passed March 2, 1867, where a vacancy may exist or occur which it is important to have filled, are requested to notify the General commanding, and he, who is responsible that the requirements of that law be complied with, will make the necessary appointment to fill the vacancy until an election for that purpose can be held under the law.

2. Local civil officers of existing Provisional Governments of the States of Arkansas and Mississippi will continue in the performance of their duties until the expiration of the terms of their offices, unless otherwise directed in special cases, or until their successors may be appointed or elected in accordance with the acts of Congress to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States, passed March 2, 1867.

3. The most important duty devolving upon freedmen in their new condition is that of providing by their own labor for the support of themselves and families. They now have a common interest in the general prosperity. This prosperity does not depend so much on how men vote as upon how well each member of society labors and keeps his contracts. Freedmen are therefore urged not to neglect their business to engage in political discussions, but continue to comply with their contracts and provide for themselves and families; for, unless they do so, a famine may come, and they will have no food. When the time comes for them to have their names entered in the books of voters, which will be before next September, the General commanding will send them word through proper United States or county officers, and send the books to places near by their homes, so that every voter can have his name registered, and can afterward vote without going far from his home.—Only those residing in towns will be registered or vote there.

By command of Brev. Maj Gen. ORD,
O. D. GREENE,
Assistant Adjutant General.

TENNESSEE.

EMERSON ETHERIDGE'S ACCEPTANCE.

ST. CLOUD HOTEL,
Nashville, Tenn., April 16, 1867.

SIR:—By the action of the State Conservative Convention this day assembled at the capitol, it is made our pleasing duty to notify you of your nomination as the candidate of the Conservative party for Governor of the State. This pleasure is enhanced by the unanimity with which your nomination was adopted, and the enthusiasm with which it was received.

Duly appreciating the importance of success to the oppressed citizens of our beloved State, we pledge the Convention we represent, and ourselves individually, that nothing honorable shall be left undone to secure your triumphant election.

Urging an early acceptance, we beg to remain truly yours, etc.,

JOHN W. LEFTWITCH,
W. W. COLEMAN,
SAM'L. H. JONES,
Committee.

Hon. Emerson Ethridge, Dresden, Tenn.

DRESDEN, TENN., April 19, 1867.

GENTLEMEN:—I have this day received your communication of the 16th. inst., informing me of my nomination as the candidate of the Conservative party for Governor of the State. While I am sincerely distrustful of my ability to meet the just expectations of those who composed the Convention, I will not decline the nomination. Nor will I hesitate to say, that, in my judgment, the principles enunciated by the Convention should satisfy all who prefer a government of law, of justice and of equal rights for all the people of the State, to the foul domination of an ignorant, brutal and irresponsible despotism. I am, therefore, "in favor of immediate restoration of our disfranchised fellow citizens to all the rights, privileges and immunities of full and complete citizenship." This, I am sure, will be accorded by every man in the State, regardless of color, who is himself fit to be free.

I will enter upon the canvass early in May, and I shall endeavor to perform my whole duty. I ask the co operation of those only who feel themselves deserving the name and privileges of citizens. If all such will exert themselves, as duty and honor demand, we can end, effectually and forever, the meanest tyranny which was ever hatched in the foul air of distempered times.

Very truly, etc.,
EMERSON ETHERIDGE.

Hon. John W. Leftwitch, Hon. W. W. Coleman and Samuel H. Jones, Esq., Committee, etc., Memphis, Tenn.

Senator Wilson, in calling for recruits for his "Radical party" here, made his conditions pretty stringent,—something after the order of the Sherman-Shellabarger Stevens business. They must come running! They must come with songs and acclamations, and adorned with garlands like beasts in sacrifice to the gods. They must "*cheerfully* and *joyfully* accept the terms and conditions imposed by Congress." Again he said, he wanted recruits "who *joyfully* accepted the policy of the Government, because it was the policy of patriotism, liberty and justice." (!!!) And yet *again* he appealed to the men "who *joyfully* accepted the terms and conditions embodied in the reconstruction bills."

Who enlists?

Wilson is a veritable political Chadband. "Oh, let us be joyful, joyful, joyful! Oh, let us be joyful." But the Southern people do not see it.—*Richmond Enquirer.*

A dissipated man in Louisville, who had brought his family to ruin, drank a pint of alcohol to kill himself, but unfortunately did not die.

A Yankee has invented a "lunch box," which can be folded up without detriment to the pie and doughnuts contained therein. A company is being organized to manufacture the boxes, at the rate of ten thousand a year, in Connecticut.

SUDDEN DEATH.—We are deeply pained to learn, just as we are going to press, of the death of Dr. Charles A. Gee, of Quincy, after three days' illness, of brain fever.—*Tallahassee Sentinel.*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Office Western N. C. R. R. Co.,
STATESVILLE, N. C., April 27, 1867.

A CALL meeting of the Stockholders of the Western N. C. R. R. Company will be held in Morganton, on Wednesday, the 29th. of May, to accept or reject an important amendment to the Charter, passed by the last Legislature.

Stockholders and their families will pass free. By order of the Directors,

R. F. SIMONTON,
May 1-225-wtd. Secretary and Treasurer.

SOUTHAMPTON HAMS.

Just received another lot of those Choice Hams, which will be sold low.

DOUGLAS BELL.
May 1-225-tf

BUTTER! BUTTER!!

A prime article to day received by

DOUGLAS BELL.
May 1-225-tf

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Memorial Association of Wake county will be held in the Session Room of the Presbyterian Church, on Friday, the 3rd of May, at 4 o'clock. It is hoped that all the members of the Association will be present.

By order of the President,
S. A. PARTRIDGE,
May 1-'92-2t Secretary.

NOTICE.

The time for the payment of the annual subscription of $1.00 for membership having arrived, it is particularly desired that all members of the Memorial Association shall attend to the call without further notice.

Mrs. L. O'B. BRANCH,
President.
Miss S. A. PARTRIDGE, Sec'y.
May 1-225-2t

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

NEAR SMITHFIELD, JOHNSTON Co., N. C.,
April 26th, 1867.

Messrs. Editors:—Please state in the *Sentinel*, that on Saturday, 11th. May, I desire to talk to the people of Raleigh, and of Wake County, men, women, and children, *without distinction of party* or of color, on "The Cause and Cure of our National troubles."

I have had no consultation with any one in reference to this announcement, but I feel impelled to beg, for that occasion, the presence and sympathy of all those in your city and county, who love the Southern States of the old American Union better than any other part of the earth's surface. Respectfully,

ED. W. POU.
May 1 225-td

$30 REWARD!

HIRAM was stolen on the night of the 28th. Hiram is a sorrel, about nine years old; white face; one white hind foot; a sr on the cheek; a small dark spot, with white hairs in it, on his hind quarter; a saddle scar on his back; good mane.—His tail has been recently trimmed—badly done. Hiram is a fine canterer and walker; paces roughly. Alas! poor Hiram, I want to see you.

The rogue left a MULE, at my house, which the owner can get by indentifying him and paying for this advertisement. H. C. BRIGGS,
Littleton, Sussex; or, M. P. BELL,
May 1-225-1w Petersburg, Va.

VENEZUELA,

FOR ORINOCO AND CARONI RIVERS,

SOUTH AMERICA.

A VESSEL will leave Charleston, S. C. on the 18th. day of May 1867, for Venezuela, with Emigrants. In order to secure passage from Charleston, application for passage must be made in time, either in person or by letter to

S. ROWLAND,
Raleigh, N. C.

P. S. Passage and board only $75.
May 1-225-2w

EDWARD J. HALE & SON,

Wholesale Dealers in Books and Stationery,

HAVE REMOVED TO

No. 76 MURRAY STREET,

A FEW DOORS FROM BROADWAY, WHERE they are prepared to supply their Southern friends and the public, Booksellers, Merchants, Teachers, Professional gentlemen, and others, with all articles in their line at the most reasonable cash prices.

Address,
E. J. HALE & SON.
May 1-225-2w* 16 Murray Street, New York.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR RENT.

THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC IS INVITED to that valuable Hotel property known as the

"MANSION HOUSE,"

situated in the centre of the City of Charlotte, N. C. The lease of the present occupant expires on the 1st. day of June proximo, and the entire Hotel property will be for Lease or Rent; and to a competent Landlord, the Lease will be made very reasonable. The building is of brick, large, roomy and was arranged for the special purpose for which it has long been occupied.

The owners intend to put the property in FIRST RATE REPAIR, and invite the attention of those who "know how to keep a Hotel" to its advantages. There is no other Hotel in the business part of the City to come in competition; therefore the occupant may be said to enjoy a monopoly.

Communications addressed to the undersigned will receive prompt attention, and would be glad to receive them on or before the 15th. of May.

M. L. WRISTON, Agent.
Charlotte, N. C. May 1-225-1w*

COTTON GINS AND PRESSES.

MITCHELL, ALLEN, CO.,

NEWBERN, N. C.

AGENTS IN NORTH CAROLINA, FOR HORace L. Emery & Sons' Patent Universal Cotton Gins and Condensers.

This Gin has been selected by "The American Commissioners for the Paris Exhibition," ing superior to all others in the market.
April 1-200-1t

AUCTION SALE.

I will sell, on the 23rd. day of May, at the Store of W. C. Stronach, on Market Square, all the HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE (and a fine MILCH COW) belonging to the estate of the late Sarah Stronach deceased.

All sums over $1, six months credit with approved security.

GEO. T. STRONACH,
Admr.
Apr. 30-codts.

NOTICE!

VALUABLE PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT, COMPLETE, FOR SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed, I shall expose to public sale, at the Court House door, in the city of Newbern, on Tuesday, the 20th. day of May next, one complete printing establishment, consisting of press, types and fixtures

Persons desiring the material for starting a paper will find this a rare chance, as everything is in good order.

Terms made known on day of sale.

GEO. GREEN, Trustee.
April 30-td.

LIME! LIME!!

150 Barrels Fresh Lockport Lime, on consignment, and offered very low, if taken at the Depot at once.

JAMES M. TOWLES.
April 29-224-tf

GRAND PRESENTATION CONCERT

IN AID OF THE

SOUTHERN ORPHAN ASSOCIATION.

INCORPORATED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF VIRGINIA,

Jan. 20th, 1867.

To be Given at Baltimore, June 17th.

1867.

TICKETS ONE DOLLAR EACH, TO BE HAD of JOHN BRAGG, Agent, at Southern Express Office, Raleigh, N. C.

Owing to recent troubles, the Managers have issued the following Card to which the attention of the Public is called:

OFFICE PRESENTATION CONCERT,
Baltimore, April 13, 1867.

MESSRS. EDITORS.—Our attention has been called to extracts in Southern papers reflecting upon the management of the Presentation Concert in aid of the Southern Orphan Association, and in answer to the statements and assertions contained in such extracts we wish to lay the whole matter before the people, that they may judge from the actions of our accusers the motives by which they are governed. We call attention to the facts contained in the following card, and request the public to bear in mind that the parties mentioned were only members invested with no authority to act in any official capacity whatever. The power they sought to usurp would give them full control of the books and funds, by which they could shape the first to suit them, and withdraw the latter from the bank, where it is now, subject to the order of the Association:

[From the Baltimore Gazette April 11.]

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Southern Orphan Association being liable to misrepresentation in consequence of the late arrest of some of its members on charges preferred by Mr. A. G. Kimberly, we beg leave to present the following statements in regard to the Association and its accusers:

At the inception of the Society the ladies connected with its origin, in view of difficulties that might arise in procuring a charter, determined to admit as members such gentlemen as were supposed to be proper to advise and assist them. Some of these gentlemen apparently worked for the sole benefit of the Association until the Charitable Concert was proposed. After that their actions showed but too plainly that they desired to obtain control of the Association.

At a meeting of the Trustees upon the 8th. of March a constitution, drawn up by Messrs. Kimberly and Hawkins, investing them with full power and authority to handle the funds of the Association and to examine its books, was proposed by Mr. Kimberly, and upon a vote being taken, it was laid aside. The ladies, with some exceptions, rejected it and the President and Treasurer, not recognizing the legality of the document, refused to vote. In this manner it was laid over. Notwithstanding this, the parties resolved themselves into committees and set to work.

On the 3d. of April a committee, consisting of Messrs. Kimberly and Bostock, under the so called constitution, came to our office and demanded the books. The President being present, stated that having refused to accept the constitution, she would not recognise the committee. On the 4th. Mr. Kimberly called, with two gentlemen, and again demanded the books, and was again refused.

On the 5th. by request of Messrs. Kimberly, Hawkins and Bostock, we, with two witnesses, attended an interview with them at Barnum's Hotel. Mr. Hawkins stated that he had that morning received a letter from General Trimble, authorizing him to prosecute us for having opened one of the General's letters, which he intended to do to the full extent of the law if we did not give up the books. As the officers should decide this, we told him that he would be answered next day. On that evening the officers and ourselves were arrested on a warrant issued by Mr. Kimberly, and released on bail. The next evening Mr. Hawkins issued a warrant for the arrest of our book keeper, Mr. Schiers, on the charge of having opened General Trimble's letter. As the charge was false, Mr. Schiers was dismissed. We see from this morning's "Sun" that these parties "announce their unqualified repudiation of the project," etc., which will be taken for what it is worth, when it will be shown that they repudiated, etc., because they lost their large commissions in the rejections of their farms and houses by the Society.

The offices and rank they append to their signatures are of their own creation, as the Society wishes the public to understand that it does not recognize the name and office of "Finance Committee" as ever having been created by said society.

We here leave the public to determine the motives of our accusers, for, to our mind, a simple narration of the above facts is sufficient to show that the Association and ourselves are attacked because we would not suit the purposes of Messrs. Hawkins, Bostock and Kimberly.

L. T. PALMER & CO.

In consequence of the persecution arising from our late connection with these persons, we are compelled to postpone the GRAND CHARITABLE PRESENTATION CONCERT to the SEVENTEENTH DAY OF JUNE, 1867. This will give us ample time to dispose of all the tickets, and it will afford the public an opportunity to investigate the facts which we have published, thus gaining that confidence which is necessary to ensure the success of every public measure.

We do not wish these statements to be taken unsubstantiated, as we cordially invite an investigation of the enterprize. The grand jury of this city presented us, and we hoped that they would go further and indict us, for we wished to prove to the world our honesty and disinterestedness in this measure, which could not be better done than in an investigation by the grand inquest.

It now remains with the public whether the "House and School" shall be built. Whether the poor, fatherless children of the South, whose parents' blood was shed in defence of Southern homes, shall be deprived of the blessings which this enterprise seeks to obtain for them. Must we appeal in vain? No, it shall not be said that the Southern people were so ungenerous as to condemn those who are seeking to benefit the children of the soldiers who died for them, upon the evidence of men who, when they saw their own mercenary aims frustrated, sought to cover their guilt by bringing charges on us. Charges which, in the only trial that was allowed us, were proved to be as false as perjury could make them.

L. T. PALMER & CO.

Mrs. J. L. HAMMOND, President, Mrs. E. A. F. MEARES, Treasurer, Mrs. McCUBBIN and Mrs. SCHIERS, Trustees of the Southern Orphan Association, have also published a card. The following are extracts:

"We invite an examination of our books and the funds now accumulating in bank subject to the order of the Association, for the purpose of erecting the home and school for the orphans of the "Confederate dead" in the city of Richmond, Virginia. Nothing that we can say will testify more accurately the correctness of our plans than an investigation of our books and funds, and it was because we, as custodians of these treasures, would not surrender them to dishonest men, that we are now subject to their persecutions and abuse.

We have seen the horrors and devastation of the late war, and know the immense amount of suffering occasioned by it. Homes were rendered cheerless by the loss of its head, who fell fighting for the homes of the South, and it was our sympathy for the poor and friendless orphans of the South that caused us to enter into the resolution of securing for them a home and providing an education, as may render them hereafter good and useful citizens of a free and happy land.

We confess, however, that if we could have looked through the future and seen the trials and persecutions to which we are subjected, we would have never attempted to begin so thankless a work. But now, having embarked in it, our reputation is at stake, and we must build the Home and School; therefore we call upon all good people to assist us toward the completion of our work by discrediting the assertions made by our enemies. And we ask—nay, we demand—that those papers whose opinions were founded upon the acts of our employees, should give to the public our statements, and modify their assertions so as to be in strict accordance with the facts."

Not long since, Messrs. L. T. Palmer & Co., published a card which, as we approved it then, we will officially endorse it now, that the information contained therein may go forth to the public with every guarantee for its truthfulness.

In consequence of the delay occasioned by the conduct of the persons above alluded to, we have been compelled to inform our managers to postpone the Concert until the 17th. day of June, 1867, that we may be able to begin the building as soon as our Concert business shall end."

April 30 225-2w

STRAYED.

From my Saw Mill, near Morrisville, on Saturday, the 20th inst., a small MOUSE COLORED MARE MULE. No private marks remembered. Any information that will lead to her recovery will be liberally rewarded.

W. D. WILLIAMS,
April 29-224-1w* Raleigh, N. C.

FAMILY GROCERS.

ROBERT A. JENKINS, Williamsborough, N. C. LEMUEL B. PERRY, Raleigh, N. C.

JENKINS & PERRY,

Family Grocers and Commission MERCHANTS,

IN THE BRICK ROW,

Four Doors North of the Post Office and nearly Opposite Market Square,

FAYETTEVILLE STREET,

RALEIGH, N. C.

Grateful for the flattering patronage with which we have heretofore been so kindly favored, we respectfully solicit an increased share of the patronage of the citizens of Raleigh and the surrounding country. Without specially quoting, we deem it sufficient to say, that our stock mostly embraces such articles as are usually found in Family Groceries. Most of our goods have been recently bought in New York and Baltimore, for cash, and we hope to be able to sell them on satisfactory terms. In addition to our stock of Groceries, &c., we have a fine lot of

HATS AND READY MADE CLOTHING

and a splendid lot of Confectioneries, consisting of

PLAIN AND FANCY CANDIES, RAISINS, ORANGES, FIGS, NUTS AND BRANDY PEACHES, &c.,

all of which will be sold on reasonable terms.

We have also a fine lot of genuine Durham Smoking Tobacco, which we can implicitly recommend to "those who smoke." Please call and see us.

We will pay particular attention to all consignments of Produce and Merchandise entrusted to our care and will endeavor to sell at the best market prices. Consignments are respectfully solicited. By a prompt and close attention to business and fair dealing with all, we hope to merit and receive a share of public patronage.
April 13-211-tf

IF YOU WANT REALLY TO INDULGE YOURself in the exquisite luxury of a good smoke and inspire yourself with beautiful thoughts and delicious care-begiuling emotions,—in short, if you want to *feel good*,—try some of this fragrant, genuine DURHAM SMOKING TOBACCO.

at
April 27-223-tf JENKINS & PERRY'S.

IRISH POTATOES!!!

Twenty-five Barrels Superior Irish Potatoes just received, which will be sold low to the trade. Also, another lot of that superior Butter.

DOUGLAS BELL.
April 25-221-tf

HARDWARE!

HARDWARE!!

HARDWARE!!!

AXES, SHOVELS, SPADES, HOES, PITCH FORKS, POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY, SPOONS, TEA-KETTLES, SKIVES, FRY PANS, STOCK AND PAD LOCKS, HATCHETS, HAMMERS, NAILS, SCREWS, TACKS, HOOK AND EYE HINGES, N. I. BUTTS, AUGUR BITS AND GIMLETS,

Which I am selling very cheap to close out lot.

DOUGLAS BELL,
April 18-215-tf Market Square.

JACKSON WHITE POTATOES.

If you want something nice in the shape of a Potato, call and examine those which I am now offering.

DOUGLAS BELL.
April 22-218-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

ALFRED WILLIAMS, C. W. LAMBETH.

WILLIAMS & LAMBETH,

No. 40 Fayetteville St., Raleigh, N. C.

Book Sellers and Stationers,

DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF SCHOOL BOOKS,

STANDARD AND MISCELLANEOUS WORKS.

MASONIC BOOKS, JEWELS, REGALIA;

BOOKS ON STOCK AND AGRICULTURE; STATIONERY; PRINTING AND WRAPPING PAPER; PRINTERS SUPPLIES;

SCHOOL AND OFFICE REQUISITES;

ALBUMS;

PERFUMERY,

FANCY ARTICLES, &c.

We are now receiving new supplies, and will be constantly making such additions to our Stock as will enable us to furnish every article usually kept in a first class Book Store.

Our facilities are such as to enable us to furnish in a very few days, any article not on hand, and all orders will have our prompt attention.

Our business will be conducted on the cash system, and every article sold at the very lowest prices.

WILLIAMS & LAMBETH.
Raleigh, April 9-207-tf

NOTICE.

I will sell to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in Raleigh, on Monday, the 20th. day of May next, the following property of C. M. Farris, viz:

A certain lot or parcel of land in the city of Raleigh, adjoining the Gas Lot, and others.

Also, the interest of C. M. Farris, the same being one half in fee simple, in and to the two following lots:

The first, situated in the late extended limits of the city of Raleigh, west ward of Halifax Street and on the north side of Johnson Street, adjoining the lot lately owned by W. W. Vass and others, containing one third of an acre, more or less.

The second being the lot on Davie Street, known as the Hackney Pool lot, adjoining the lands of Seth K. Jones and others, containing one half acre or thereabouts.

Also, all his undivided intrest, share and part of lot No 2 and small part of lot No. 1, in the city of Raleigh, being the Albert Carter lot, his said intrest being two thirds of said lot, situated on the south side of Lenoir Street.

Terms made known on

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

PRICES REDUCED.

Advertisements will be inserted in the *Daily Sentinel* at the following rates. A *square* will hereafter estimated at 13 *minion* lines, or 1¼ inches.

One square one time	$1,00
" " each subsequent insertion less than a week	50
One square one week	3,00
Each additional square one week	2,00
One square two weeks	5,00
Each additional square two weeks	2,50
One square one month	8,00
Each additional square one month	3,00
One square two months	10,00
Each additional "	3,50
One square three months	12,00
Each additional "	4,00
One quarter column "	25,00
One half column "	40,00
One column "	75,00

Regular business cards, 15 minion lines or less, will be charged only $10 for three months.

All advertisements or cards must be changed in form at least every three months. Contracts for more than three months made only at the above rates.

Special notices or advertisements required to be inserted on inside or any special place, will be charged 25 per cent higher than the above charges.

Advertisements inserted in Weekly and Semi-Weekly at rates corresponding with the above.

Court advertisements inserted 6 weeks for $7 cash or $10 if charged.

Advertisers will always find it to their advantage to enclose the cash when they send advertisements, to the extent they wish to pay for them.

THE SENTINEL.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 1, 1867.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

TO ADVERTISERS.—The public will find the *Sentinel* one of the best mediums of advertising in the State. Its circulation covers a larger area, perhaps, than any other paper.

AGENTS.—W. H. Bernard, Esq., is our Agent at Wilmington, N. C.

W. W. Jones, Esq., is our Agent at Louisburg, N. C.

J. W. Norwood, Esq., is our Agent at Warrenton, N. C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—A called meeting of the Stockholders of the Western N. C. R. R. Co. will be held in Morganton, on the 29th inst. The object of the meeting is the acceptance or rejection of an important amendment to the charter, passed by the late Legislature.

H. C. Briggs, Littleton, Sussex Co., Va., advertises $30 reward for "Hiram." Who is "Hiram?" Consult the advertisement, and you will find out.

That valuable property in Charlotte, known as the "Mansion Hotel," is offered for rent or lease—possession to be given on the 1st of June. This offers a fine opening to any competent person desiring to embark in the business of Hotel-keeping.

We invite attention to the announcement of Messrs. E. J. Hale & Son's removal in New York, from their former stand, to No. 16, Murray St.

Notice is given that an emigrant vessel will leave Charleston, on the 18th inst., for Venezuela. Apply to Saml. Rowland, Raleigh.

Mitchell, Allen & Co. make their customary daily announcement.

Mr. S. W. Pou, of Smithfield, gives notice that he will address the people of Wake, without distinction of color or party, in this City, on the 11th inst.

Douglas Bell, Market Square, is in receipt of some more of those choice Southampton Hams and of prime Butter.

W. H. Bernard, Esq, Publisher, has just issued a reprint of the "Ready Calculator for the measuring of Timber" which is said to be an excellent work. He will send it post paid to any one for $2,00. We are obliged to him for a copy, which can be seen at our office.

THE YARBORO' HOUSE.—We notice that Mr. Blair is tearing down the unsightly old structure, immediately adjoining the Hotel, preparatory to the erection of a handsome adjunct to the main building, which is to be occupied as a barber's shop, gentlemen's furnishing store, &c. It will be a great improvement, but it is only one of the many that Mr. Blair has instituted in and around the establishment. He never stops improving, and that is the secret of his success. When you think he has done the best in his line that *can* be done, he surprises you with something *still better*.

WE MAKE OUR acknowledgments to our friends of the *Southerner*, for an invitation to be present at the "Complimentary Ball to the Medical Society of N. C.," to be given in Tarboro, on the evening of the 17th. of May.

MEMORIAL.—We invite attention to the two announcements, in to-day's paper, by the President of the Ladies' Memorial Society.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

RALEIGH, April 30, 1867.

At a special meeting of the Board of Commissioners, held this evening, there were present:

Wm. D. Haywood, Mayor, and Messrs. R. H. Battle, J. A. Moore, J. J. Overby, J. M. Betts, D. L. Royster, J. D. Royster, A. N. McKimmon and B. F. Cheatham, Commissioners.

Mr. Battle, who was appointed to revise the Ordinances, &c., reported.

The report was read, and, on motion of Mr. Cheatham, adopted.

On motion of Mr. McKimmon, it was ordered that the Market stalls shall bring $25 each, cash, for the rent for twelve months.

The Committee appointed to ascertain and report whether the seat of Mr. Sawyer, a Commissioner from the Western Ward, was made vacant by his removal from the State, reported through the Chairman of the Committee, Mr. McKimmon, that his seat was vacated, when the Board appointed Mr. Parker Overby a Commissioner from the Western Ward to fill said vacancy.

On motion of Mr Overby, Mr. John Ray has permission to remove a shade tree on the sidewalk near his residence.

Adjourned to meet on Monday evening next. J. J. CHRISTOPHERS, *Clk*

Senator Dixon was received at his home in Hartford yesterday by a salute of thirty-seven guns and a welcome from the Mayor. He made a speech in answer, in which he said the South was in a state of slavery under the reconstruction act.

STATE ITEMS.

—— The negroes of Elizabeth City held a mass meeting on the 19th., which was addressed by a Mr. C. L. Cobb, white. The platform of the Holden Raleigh Convention was ratified. The meeting was broken up by the breaking down of the platform upon which the orators were assembled. "*Nuff ced.*"

—— The laying of the corner-stone of the "Confederate Mausoleum," in Newbern, is to take place to-morrow afternoon. There is to be a procession and other ceremonies.

—— We are glad to see that Dr. R. K. Speed is to address the people of Perquimans, at Hertford, on Monday, May 13th., and the people of Pasquotank, in Elizabeth City, on Monday, June 3d, on the "Situation and the Duty of the hour." The colored people are invited to attend.

—— The Wilmington *Journal* characterizes, very justly we have no doubt, the person Conway, who made the inflammatory harangue at Tupper's Church, in this City, as "an irresponsible political vagabond." Speaking of his exhibitions in Wilmington, the *Journal* observes:

"It appears, in order to give prominence to his remarks, he employed a reporter and failed to pay the promised price. We regret to see our black people mixing up with such disreputable characters, and those who do so may expect to lose caste, and we predict that it will not be long hence when all will regret it."

—— Messrs. Pool & Shotwell, of the Newbern *Journal of Commerce*, have dissolved copartnership, and Col. Pool assumes exclusive control of the paper. We wish both gentlemen success,—the one in his retiracy, and the other in the further prosecution of his useful labors.

—— The citizens of Goldsboro' part with regret with Capt. Snyder, Co. E., 8th. U. S. Troops, now in Raleigh. The *News* says:

"This company deported themselves like men—Capt. Synder won the esteem of our people—and, as an evidence of his popularity, a petition, very numerously signed, has gone to Gen. Sickles, asking that his command may be restored to our town."

—— Messrs. N. W. Woodfin, J. G. Martin, R. W. Pulliam and Hon. Jno. L. Bailey have been elected delegates, on the part of Trinity Church, Ashville, to the Episcopal Convention, which is to assemble in Wilmington on the 15th. inst. Messrs. A. H. Polk and T. W. Patton are Alternates.

—— The *Old North State* says that during the severe rain and hail storm on Tuesday night of last week, Mr. Daywalt Lentz, of Rowan County, had seventeen sheep killed by lightning. With the instinct peculiar to the sheep, they all sought shelter from the storm together under a large tree which received a stroke of electricity during the storm, resulting in the death of the whole flock.

—— At Morganton, last week, in the Superior Court for Burke county, James C. McKesson, charged with having killed Robert Tate, was found guilty of manslaughter. Abram Smith and son Daniel, charged with the murder of Caswell, were tried, Abram Smith was found guilty of the murder and sentenced to be hanged the first Friday in May. His counsel, however, took an appeal. Very little business on the civil docket was disposed of.

—— Much destitution prevails in Iredell Co. The Statesville *American* says:

"We have good reason to believe that there is much destitution among soldiers' widows and orphans in Iredell county, but we think that, owing to the abundance of grain and meat in the county, these wants might be abundantly relieved by citizens of the county, if they would only seek those in want, and relieve them out of their abundant stores of provisions. These widows and orphans are in a worse condition than during the war, when they received assistance from the State Government."

—— The United States District Court is in session in Wilmington,—his Honor G. W. Brooks presiding. There is but little business before the Court.

"The Richmond correspondent of the *Chronicle* informs us that "no cheers greeted Mr. Wilson as he prepared to speak in this City. The colored people seemed to have too much reverence for him to manifest their feelings in that way. They gathered upon the porch from which he spoke, and looked up to him as a supreme being."—*Washington Chronicle.*

The colored people in this latitude are not so green. We know nothing of the audience which assembled to hear Mr. Wilson, on Monday night, but his colored audience, in Capitol Square, was very little, if any, larger than that which gathered to hear the speakers in this city on Easter Monday. We believe, indeed, that there were more adult colored males in attendance upon the latter occasion than there were to hear the "big gun" from Massachusetts.

A wedding at St. Paul's Church, in Chicago, was singularly frustrated on Thursday evening. The bride, with her friends, went to the church at the appointed hour, and waited a long while, but no bridegroom arrived. She was finally borne home in a nearly insane condition. The bridegroom, named Thompson, left his place of business in good time to prepare for the wedding, since which he has not been heard of.

Anna Dickinson has preached in an actual pulpit in Toledo, and very well she is reported to have done it, though the performance reminded a local newspaper man of Dr. Johnson's saying about a woman's oratory: "Why, sir, a woman speaking in public is like a dog dancing; it is not done well, but we are surprised to see it done at all."

We regret to announce that though Forney is going to Europe, his "Occasional" contributions to the Washington *Chronicle* and the Philadelphia *Press* will continue.—But Forney's future letters will be on subjects where his ignorance, though equally conspicuous, will be more amusing and less hurtful than heretofore.

THE MERCHANTS' MEETING.—There can be but one feeling in this community, and that of thankfulness, that the commercial men of the city refused on Saturday night to make petition for military interference with the laws of the State. Any inconvenience to any class is preferable to the establishment of such a precedent.—*Pet. Index.*

Louisianians at Washington are strongly urging the President to remove Gen. Sheridan and substitute Gen. Rodseau, as commander of that Military District. The President seems willing to listen to these suggestions.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Wednesday Morning Dispatches.

STREET CARS IN RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, April 30.

To-morrow the Street Car Company will run four cars for both white and black, and two cars for ladies. The Company only have six cars.

This is done, after consultation with Gen. Schofield.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 30.

The third remittance of $4,750, making a total of $47,000 in gold, has been received from California by the Southern Famine Commission.

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a circular, directing assessors to tax shinplasters ten per cent.

Secretaries Browning and Stanton are sick.—The other Secretaries attended the Cabinet meeting to-day.

The receipts for Internal Revenue to-day are $400,000.

Attorney General Stanbery's interpretation of the points of the reconstruction bill will be read to the Cabinet on Friday. The published statements as to its character are mere speculations.

FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, April 30.

Parliament resumed its sessions yesterday.

In the House of Commons, last night, Lord Stanly, Secretary of Foreign affairs, in reply to an inquiry, stated that the proposition for a Peace Congress has been accepted by France and Prussia, and said he was of the opinion that the Luxembourg question would be satisfactorily settled.

BERLIN, April 30.

The Prussian *Diet* was opened yesterday by the King. In a speech from the throne, King William said that the unity of Germany was an assurance for the peace of Europe, and urged a speedy adoption of the Constitution.

The King was silent in regard to Luxemburg.

MARKETS AND FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, April 30, P. M.

Cotton dull and declined 1et. Sales of 100 bales at 29.

Flour active. State $10,40@$13,65.

Corn—Western Mixed $1,35@$1,37.

Pork heavy and lower, $22.65.

Lard heavy at 12½@13¾.

Tallow heavy 11@11¼.

Gold $1,35½.

BALTIMORE, April 30, P. M.

Cotton firm. Middling uplands 30.

Rio Coffee 13½. Sales 500 bags.

Flour dull. Common superfine 10@10½. Corn dull and declined 2@3. White $1,20@$1,25.

WILMINGTON, April 30, P. M.

Cotton Steady, 26. Spirits quiet, 68. Rosins $2,80@$6,50.

LIVERPOOL, April 30, P. M.

Cotton market is less firm to-day, and closed easier at a decline. Middling Uplands 11¼. Middling Orleans 10¾. Sales 12,000 bales.

LONDON, April 30, P. M.

Consols closed 89¼. 5-20's 87¼.

Our Afternoon Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 1.

Surratt's trial is set for the 27th. of May.

The New Almaden quicksilver mine has been sold for $3,500,000.

FOREIGN.

BERLIN, April 30.

The King, in closing the North German Parliament said the time has arrived when our German Fatherland is able to uphold its place, its rights and its dignity, by its own collective strength. He closed the address by asking God to bestow his blessing upon the Fatherland.

Bismarck declared the session closed, amid tumultuous cheering for the King.

MARKETS AND FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, May 1.

Gold $1 35.

Cotton dull and nominal.

LIVERPOOL, May 1, M.

Cotton opens easier. Prices declined. Uplands 11¼. Probable sales 8,000 bales.

LETTER FROM THADDEUS STEVENS.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The health of Thaddeus Stevens is much improved, and he expects to leave here for Pennsylvania next week. He to-day wrote a letter for publication, taking for his subject the following extract from a notice of Senator Henry Wilson's recent speech near Hampton Roads:

"He (Wilson) said there would be no impediment to Southern representation in Congress if they elect Union men, and closed his remarks by saying that he would leave Virginia with the full conviction that a Republican Governor, Legislature and two Senators would be elected."

Mr. Stevens comments on this as follows:

"Such articles as this are calculated to do much harm. They throw obstacles in the way of future reconstruction, being quoted and relied on as pledges by the Republican party. Hence much trouble arose from certain loose and indefinite expressions contained in a bill which was reported by the Reconstruction Committee of the Thirty-ninth Congress, though never passed. It was perverted by fiction and folly into argument against the whole party and Congress.

"This generally arises from the carelessness of the reporters; sometimes, doubtless, from the inadvertence of the speaker. No man should make promises for the party. By what authority does any one say that by the election of loyal delegates they will be admitted? By what authority say that Virginia will elect two loyal Senators, while in truth there is no Virginia?

"Much is to be done by the people and Congress before any representative or Senator or State can be organized. Who authorized any orator to say there would be no confiscation, as in another place? These things are too flippantly said. I think they had better be gravely pondered. Who is authorized to travel the country and peddle out amnesty?

"I would say to the most guilty, 'expect punishment and then quietude, but first a mild confiscation to pay those who have been robbed by disloyal men.' Those are my wishes, and mine only, perhaps.

THADDEUS STEVENS."

WHIPPING.—The Boston correspondent of the *Evening Post* says the sentiment in favor of abolishing the practice of whipping children in the public schools has received a new impulse from a case of cruel punishment which has just occurred in the Dwight School. A young boy was whipped nearly half an hour until his clothes were cut as if by a knife, and until his teacher's strength was exhausted. The teacher resigned and fled, but a constable is after him.

Despatches from the scene of Indian warfare in Western Kansas report that General Custer has not yet discovered the trail of the retreating Cheyennes. They are, however, believed to have gone south, while the Sioux have gone north. General Hancock did not burn the deserted lodges which he captured, but required all property taken from them to be returned.

A mob of Loyal Leaguers in Blount county, Tennessee, recently drove out a minister of the Methodist Church, South, and dispersed his congregation. They were instigated by a preacher of the Methodist Church, North.

A GROWL FROM "OLD THAD."

"Old Thad Stevens" is not as well pleased as he ought to be with the promises made to the Southern people by Senator Wilson in view of their *bona fide* fulfillment of the reconstruction laws of Congress. In a letter to the newspapers Mr. Stevens first quotes from a late speech of the Senator, promising that there would be no impediment to Southern representation in Congress if they elected Union men, and expressing the opinion that in reconstructing Virginia the results would be a republican Governor, Legislature and two United States Senators; and then the indignant radical leader of the Commons responds—that such promises are calculated to do mischief; that they throw obstacles in the way of future reconstruction; that much is to be done before any of the rebel States or any Representative or Senator from any one of them can be recognised. He wants to know, too, who authorized any orator to say that there will be no confiscation, and "who is authorized to travel the country and peddle out amnesty." And then Mr. Stevens, in his most amiable mood, observes:—"I would say to the most guilty expect punishment, and then quietude; but first a mild confiscation to pay those who have been robbed by disloyal men. These are my wishes, and mine only, perhaps;" but, we may add, perhaps not. Nevertheless, we regard it as morally certain that each and every one of the States concerned in faithfully meeting these reconstruction laws of Congress will be re-admitted into both houses, regardless, as heretofore, of the objections or opposition of Mr. Stevens and his little faction of implacable radicals.—*New York Herald.*

President Johnson is said to disapprove, very strongly, the course of General Sheridan in Louisiana, considering that he has been "hasty, illiberal and harsh."

Raleigh Money Market.

CORRECTED BY JOHN G. WILLIAMS & CO., BROKERS, RALEIGH, N. C.

PRICES OF NORTH CAROLINA BANK NOTES:

Bank of N. C., (Gold 25) (Silver 20) G. B.	43
" Cape Fear	25
" Charlotte	24
" Lexington, at Graham	20
" Roxborough	40
" Wadesborough	24
" Thomasville	40
" Wilmington	21
" Commerce	15
" Washington	6
" Fayetteville	10
" Clarendon	4
" Yanceyville	7
Miners' and Planter's Bank	30
Farmers' Bank, Greensborough	20
Commercial Bank, Wilmington	21
Merchant's Bank, Newbern	30
Greensborough Mutual	5
Virginia Bank Notes, about	25
South Carolina "	22
Georgia "	23
Gold	135
Silver	130
Old Coupons	40
North Carolina Railroad Coupons	87½
Old Sixes	70
Exchange on New York	¼

Raleigh National Bank of North Carolina.

BUYING RATES—N. C. BANK NOTES.

Bank of Cape Fear	25
" Charlotte	24
" Commerce	15
" Clarendon	3
" Fayetteville	10
" Lexington	10
" Lexington at Graham	20
" North Carolina	43
" Roxboro	40
" Thomasville	40
" Wadesboro	24
" Wilmington	21
" Washington	5
" Yanceyville	7
Commercial at Wilmington	21
Farmers' Greensboro (Old)	20
Merchants' Newbern	30
Miners' and Planters'	30
Virginia Bank notes, average	25
South Carolina "	21
Georgia "	20
Gold	133
Silver	128
Old North Carolina Coupons	42
North Carolina Railroad Coupons	85
North Carolina 6's	45
Exchange on New York, ¼	

PROVISION MARKET.

CORRECTED BY JORDAN WOMBLE, GROCER.

RALEIGH N. C.

BACON	17@16
BEEF	11@20
BUTTER	25@35
COTTON	23@24
CORN	1 25@1 40
COFFEE	28@33
FLOUR	12½@15
DRIED FRUIT—Apples	$2 50@3 00
" " Peaches, per bu.	none
FOWLS	3 @5 50
FLOUR—Family	15 00@17 00
" Superfine	13 00@14 50
LARD	15@20
MEAL	1 20@1 50
MOLASSES	60@75
NAILS	9@10
PEAS—White	1 25@1 35
" Stock	1 10@1 25
POTATOES—Irish	1 75@2 25
" Sweet	1@1 50
RAGS	4@5
SALT	3 25@4 25
SUGAR—Crushed	18@22
" Brown best	15@17½
" Common Brown	12½@15

SPECIAL NOTICES

10 CASES GENT'S FINE CALF BOOTS AT $4,00 a pair at M. ROSENBAUM'S.
April 17-214-tf

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF ZEPHYRS at 25 cts. per ounce at M. ROSENBAUM'S.
April 17-214-tf

ALL THE LATEST STYLES GENT'S AND Boy's Hats at M. ROSENBAUM'S.
April 17-214-tf

KNOW THY DESTINY.

MADAME E. F. THORNTON, the great English Astrologist, Clairvoyant and Psychometrician, who has astonished the scientific classes of the Old World, has now located herself at Hudson, N. Y. Madame Thornton possesses such wonderful powers of second sight, as to enable her to impart knowledge of the greatest importance to the single or married of either sex. While in a state of trance, she delineates the very features of the person you are to marry, and by the aid of an instrument of intense power, known as the Psychomotrope, guarantees to produce a life-like picture of the future husband or wife of the applicant, together with date of marriage, position in life, leading traits of character, &c. This is no humbug, as thousands of testimonials can assert. She will send when desired a certified cert ficate or written guarantee that the picture is what it purports to be. By enclosing a small lock of hair and stating place of birth, age, disposition and complexion, and enclosing fifty cents and stamped envelope addressed to yourself, you will receive the picture and desired information by return mail. All communications sacredly confidential. Address in confidence, MADAME E. F. THORNTON, P. O. Box 223, Hudson, N. Y.
Apr 6-205-1ydaw

FREE TO EVERYBODY.

A Large 8 pp. Circular, giving information of the greatest importance to the young of both sexes.

It teaches how the homely may become beautiful, the despised respected, and the forsaken loved.

No young lady or gentleman should fail to send their Address, and receive a copy post-paid, by return mail.

Address P. O. Drawer, 21,
April 6-205-1ydaw Troy, N. Y.

DRY GOODS.

ARRIVED AT LAST.

T. Miles & Sons' fine French Calf Boots.
Fine French Calf Gaiters,
" " " Oxford Ties,
" " Lasting " "
Ladies Gaiters and Bootees,
Children's, Misses and Boys shoes and gaiters at
April 29-223-tf GEO. T. COOKE'S.

HATS! HATS!!

Fashionable Moleskin Hats.
" Blk. Fine felt "
" White " "
Cashmere and Wool "
A large stock of Straw Hats, for boys and men, selling at reduced prices at
April 29-224-tf GEO. T. COOKE'S.

PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS.

A beautiful stock of Parasols.
Umbrellas, small and large sizes, at
April 29-224-tf GEO. T. COOKE'S.

50 DOZ. LADIES' LINEN CAMBRIC HANDkerchiefs, for sale Cheap at
April 29-224-tf GEO. T. COOKE'S.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The largest and finest stock of Gents' Boots and Shoes that can be found in the city, at
April 29-224-tf G. T. COOKE'S.

HOME AGAIN.

ISAAC ŒTTINGER

is now in full receipt of his Spring and Summer stock of
DRY GOODS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
BOOTS, SHOES, MILLINERY,
AND FANCY GOODS,
They will be sold at a very small advance on
FIRST COST.
The Millinery business will be carried on by
MRS. ŒTTINGER,
in all its branches, she having been North herself and visited the first Millinery establishments in the country, laid in her own stock in person, and besides that, having a thorough knowledge of the business, will be enabled to suit one and all from *the rich to the poor.*
Opening day for Spring and Summer Bonnets will be on the 10th. day of April, to which all her lady friends are respectfully invited.
We are also introducing a new style HOOP-SKIRT called the
ODESSA PATENT COLLAPSING SKIRT,
a skirt far superior to anything that has ever been brought to this country. We ask an inspection of the same. You will not regret a walk to No. 48 Fayetteville Street.
April 4-209-3m

OUR STOCK IS NOW COMPLETE!

WE TAKE PLEASURE IN INFORMING OUR friends and the public, that we have in store one of the most
COMPLETE AND BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENTS
of Goods, ever offered in this Market.
Our DRESS GOODS are composed of all the latest styles and novelties of the season.

Our Line of White Goods is Perfect, consisting of

MULL, NAINSOOK AND SWISS MUSLINS, PLAIN, CHECKED AND STRIPED ORGANDIES, TARLETANS, PLAIN AND EMBROIDERED LINEN AND MUSLIN SETTS, &c., &c.

Our goods are of the best quality and prices as low as any one can sell
WE SELL STRICTLY FOR CASH, and are content with small profits.
All we ask is an examination of our stock and we think we can please.
A. N. & J. McKIMMON.
April 5-204-tf

Astonishing Low Prices.

BED SHEETING.

1,000 yds., Good 10-4 Bleached Sheeting, which will be sold at 62½c. per yard.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
April 16-213-tf

BLACK SILK WRAPPINGS.

200 Black Silk Mantles and Sacques from $5,00 to $40.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
April 16-213-tf

HOOP SKIRTS.

100 Doz. Latest Styles for Ladies and Misses, from 40 cts. to 4,00.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
April 16-213-tf

BROWN SHIRTING.

10 Bales Brown Shirting from 12½ c. to 25c
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
April 16-213-tf

BLEACHED SHIRTING.

5,000 Yds. of good Bleached Shirting from 12½c. to 25c.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
April 16-213-tf

BLACK AND BROWN DeBAGE.

2,000 Yds. Black and Brown DeBage at 15c.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
April 16-213-tf

950 YDS. PLAID HOMESPUN,

for Women's Dresses.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
April 16-213-tf

SHOES AND HATS.

FOR MEN, WOMEN, BOYS AND GIRLS FROM 25c. to $2,00
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
April 16-213-tf

FOR MEN AND BOYS.

500 Yds. heavy Linen Drill, slightly damaged by fresh water; will be sold at cost on account of the underwriters—a great bargain.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
Wholesale & Retail Merchants,
April 16-213-tf Raleigh, N. C.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PHOTOGRAPHS!

PRICES REDUCED!!

IN ORDER TO PLACE PHOTOGRAPHS WITH in the reach of everybody, and thereby increase my business, I have
REDUCED THE PRICE
of Photographs one fourth.
Now is the time. Call early.
J. W. WATSON
mar 28-197-tf

PIONEER

YEAST POWDER

USE THIS, LADIES, AND NO OTHER,
With your PASTRY have no bother;
At every grocers you can get it,
Try a box and ne'er regret it.

This YEAST POWDER is used by all first-class Hotels and Restaurants through the county, and is finding its way into every household where good Yeast Powder is appreciated. Samples free. Every box warranted to give satisfaction or money refunded. Manufactured by TAYLOR & YOUNG, No. 186 Front street, New York.
For sale by
PULLIAM, JONES & CO.
April 4-203-1m Wholesale Grocers.

SOUTHERN SHOE FACTORY.

THOMASVILLE, N. C.

AS SUCCESSORS TO J. SHELLY & SON, established in 1859, with enlarged capital, the most improved machinery, and best workmen, we will sell every style of
MEN'S, BOYS',
YOUTH'S, WOMEN'S,
MISSES' AND
CHILDREN'S
PEGGED SHOES,
as cheap as the same quality of goods can be bought in New York City or elsewhere.
SHELLY BROTHERS & CO.
April 12-210-3m*

DRY GOODS.

1867. 1867.

FIRST GRAND OPENING OF NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

COME AND SEE THEM, AND IF THE GOODS AND PRICES SUIT YOU, BUY THEM.

I now take the pleasure of informing my numerous friends and customers that I have just returned from the North, and have now in Store,

10,000 Yards of Beautiful Spring

AND SUMMER DRESS GOODS,

embracing all the novelties of the season, which will be sold cheap enough to insure sales. Creech's is the place to buy your Dress Goods.

PRINTS! PRINTS!! PRINTS!!!

Just received 8,000 yards of beautiful Spring and Summer Calicoes, which will be sold as cheap as cheapest. Customers cannot do better than to come to Creech's to buy their Calicoes.

CASSIMERES, TWEEDS, KENTUCKY JEANS, COTTONADES, &c.

Just received 5,000 yards Cassimeres, Tweeds, Kentucky Jeans, Cottonades and Linen Goods, for Men, Boys and Children, suitable for Spring and Summer wear. I ask you to call and examine my stock before you buy, and you will not regret it.

HOOP SKIRTS! HOOP SKIRTS!!

A large and varied stock of Hoop Skirts, both as to price and quality.

LADIES' HATS AND BONNETS, TRIMMED AND UNTRIMMED, NEW STYLES FOR 1867.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, prices ranging from $1 to $6. Misses from 50 cts. to $4. Creech's is the place to buy your Hats and Bonnets.

Gent's Hats, Hats, Hats!

Just received a fine assortment of Men's, Boys', Youth's and Children's Hats—cheaper than ever. Come to Creech's to buy your Hats.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

Just received 3000 pair Gent's, Boys', Ladies' and Misses' Shoes,—will be sold cheap enough to meet the hard times. Come and see prices and quality.

Groceries and Crockery Ware.

A good stock of Family Groceries, and Crockery ware, and will be sold as low as any in the city. Don't say you won't come and see, but say you will. If you have laid up your money for a rainy day, that rainy day has come. So come to Creech's to buy your goods. You will find me at R. Smith's corner, always ready and willing to serve you right.
mar 23-199-tf A. CREECH.

S. H. & W. J. YOUNG,

AT THE

OLD STAND

OF

S. H. YOUNG,

ARE now receiving from the North a large and well selected stock of the most desirable and fashionable

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

Which having been bought at low figures will be sold very low

FOR CASH.

We respectfully request our friends, and the public generally, to call and examine our stock, before buying elsewhere.
April 19-216-tf

HOME AGAIN.

M. ROSENBAUM,

WOULD RESPECFULLY INFORM HIS PAtrons and the public in general, that he has just returned from New York, where he has been for the last three months watching the market for the GREATEST BARGAINS in his line, and that he is now prepared to show his customers a splendid line of all the latest styles Dress Goods.

TRIMMINGS,
HATS & BONNETS,
RIBBONS,
FLOWERS,
SHEETINGS,
SHIRTINGS,
HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS,
HOSIERY, ETC., ETC.

A fine assortment Ladies, Misses and Children's Shoes of the celebrated T. Miles & Son's Philadelphia make, just received.
Give him a call before buying elsewhere; it will well repay you.
April 17-214-tf

JEWELRY, SILVER WARE, &C.

WM. H. THOMPSON,

WATCHMAKER & JEWELLER,

24 Fayetteville Street 24

RALEIGH, N. C.

HAS just returned from the North and opened at his old stand, a splendid variety of
Watches, Jewelry, Silver Plated Ware, &c.
repairing done neatly and with dispatch. He has also on hand a fine assortment of CLOCKS, GOLD PENS, POCKET KNIVES, &c.
A choice lot of elegant STATIONERY, also in Store, and many little nicetics that will repay inspection.
Old GOLD and SILVER bought and sold.
Feb 25-170-3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

EQUITY SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECRETAL ORDER OF Equity for the county of Johnston, I shall sell to the highest bidder, at public sution, at the late residence of W. R. Moore, deceased, on the 11th. day of May next, the lands belonging to the estate of the said Walter R. Moore, deceased, consisting of about

NINE HUNDRED ACRES,

about 18 miles from the city of Raleigh, and on the Raleigh and Wilmington Road.
This is evidently one of the most desirable farms in the county—land fertile, and highly adapted to both corn and cotton, and for health not surpassed by any residence in this part of the State.
TERMS.—Enough cash to pay the costs—Bonds well secured for the payment of the balance of the purchase money, six and twelve months after date, with interest from day of sale.
L. ELDRIDGE, C. & M. E.
April 24-220-ts for Johnston County.

NICE BACON AND FAMILY FLOUR!

IN STORE, A LARGE LOT OF STRICTLY prime N. C. Bacon and Family Flour, to which the attention of Housekeepers is called.
JAMES M. TOWLES,
April 16-213-tf Agent.

WANTED—A TENANT.

I WILL RENT OR LEASE MY HOUSE IN Wilmington, North Carolina, situated on corner Red Cross and Front Streets. The House is well located and conveniently arranged for a good Hotel. There is sufficient room for putting in fifty or sixty beds, with plenty of room for all necessary arrangement for other conveniences necessary to make it a small *first class* Hotel.—The House is new out and out. I will rent or lease the whole building, or I will take in as a partner any good competent person (with a small capital) who may be competent to carry on the business. Any person wishing to engage either way will please call and see me, or address me by letter.
WM. B. EDMUNDSON,
April 24-220-1w Wilmington, N. C.

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

MARKS & LITTLEJOHN,

(SUCCESSORS TO ANDERSON, MARKS & CO.,)

General Grocers

—AND—

Commission Merchants,

No. 6 OLD STREET,

OPPOSITE SYCAMORE,

Petersburg, Va.

Will attend to the Sale of all Produce and Merchandise, of every description, sent to their care and will also purchase any goods not in their line.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments in hand.
Can also furnish Fertilizers of any kind to farmers on accommodating terms.
J. A. MARKS, W. H. LITTLEJOHN,
Late of Anderson, Marks & Co. of Franklin Co., N. C.
Feb 18-164-3m

FERTILIZERS

FOR SPRING CROPS.

WE beg to inform the trade and planters of North Carolina and Virginia, that we are prepared to furnish them with the most approved FERTILIZERS, on the most accommodating terms. We will have a stock of genuine PERUVIAN GUANO, purchased direct from the Agent of the Peruvian Government.
We have now in store, for immediate delivery, 225 tons BRADLEY'S SUPER PHOSPHATE OF LIME, which won for itself such an enviable reputation in the Cotton and Tobacco counties of North Carolina and Virginia, last season, proving itself equal, and in many important respects, superior to the Peruvian Guano. We give an analysis of it as ascertained by *Dr. Hayes*, one of the most eminent Chemists in the country:

Results of Analyses Made of Bradley's Patent Super-Phosphate of Lime, as now sold by Wm. L. Bradley.

100 Parts Consist of	
Moisture	5.90
Prepared animal matter, salts of Ammonia, fatty substances and Humus	28.50
Bone Phosphates of Lime, Magnesia and Iron	36.00
(Soluble Phosphates of do. 16 6-10ths)	
Sulphate of Lime	16.50
Salts	10
Insoluble	3.60
	99.90

The animal matter after 4 2-10 parts of Ammonia when it was decomposed, and as will be seen, nearly one-half of the Bone Phosphate is soluble.
After many analyses of your Super-Phosphate of Lime, made during the last few months, I have found your standard of quality full equal to that of any you have ever sold in former years; and I am satisfied that you include the correct principles in the manufacture. Respectfully,
A. A. HAYES, M. D., State Assayer.
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SOMEBODY'S DARLING.

Into a ward of the whitewashed halls,
Where the dead and the dying lay,
Wounded by bayonets, shells and balls,
Somebody's darling was borne one day;
Somebody's darling, so young, so brave,
Wearing yet on his sweet, pale face—
So soon to be laid in the dust of the grave,—
The lingering light of his boyhood's grace.

Matted and damp are the curls of gold,
Kissing the snow of that fair young brow,
Pale are the lips, of delicate mould—
Somebody's darling is dying now.
Back from his beautiful blue-veined brow
Brush his wandering waves of gold;
Cross his hands on his bosom now—
Somebody's darling is still and cold.

Kiss him once for Somebody's sake,
Murmur a prayer soft and low;
One bright curl from its fair mates take—
They were somebody's pride, you know.
Somebody's hand hath rested there;
Was it a mother's soft and white?
Or have the lips of a sister fair
Been baptised in their waves of light?

God knows best. He has somebody's love,
Somebody's heart enshrined him there—
Somebody watched his name above,
Night and morn, on the wings of prayer.
Somebody wept when he marched away,
Looking so handsome, brave and grand!
Somebody's kiss on his forehead lay,
Somebody clung to his parting hand.

Somebody's watching and waiting for him,
Yearning to hold him again to her heart;
And there he lies with his blue eyes dim,
And the smiling, child-like lips apart.
Tenderly bury the fair young dead—
Pausing to drop on his grave a tear;
Carve on the wooden slab o'er his head:
"Somebody's darling slumbers here."

HIBERNIAN WIT.—A son of the Emerald Isle, but not himself green, was taken uh (for he was at the time down) near Manassas Junction, by a Confederate scouting party. He wore no special uniform of either army, but looked more like a spy than a volunteer, and on this ground was arrested.—"Who are you? what is your name? and where are you from?" were the first questions put to him by the armed party. Pat rubbed his eyes, scratched his head, and answered, "Be gorra, gintlemen, this is ugly questions to answer, and before I answer any of them, I'd be after axin' ye by ye're lave, the same thing." "Well," said the leader, "we are of Scott's army, and belong to Washington." "All right," said Pat, "I knowed ye was gintlemen, for I am that same. Long life to you, General Scott!" "Aha!" replied the scout, "now you rascal, you are a prisoner!" and he seized Pat by the shoulders.—"How is that—are we not friends?" inquired Pat. "No!" was the answer, "we belong to General Beauregard's army." "Then you told me a lie, my boys, and thinkin' it might be so, I could ye another. Now tell me the truth, and I'll tell the truth too." "Well, we belong to the State of South Carolina." "So do I!" promptly responded Pat; "and to all other States of the country, too; and there I'm thinking I beat the whole of ye. Do you think I'd come all the way from ould Ireland to belong to one State, when I had a right to belong to the whole of them?" Pat was taken to the camp, but as nothing could be made to appear against him, he was discharged.

I serenaded Sophia once when she was but a tender lass, and the greeting which I received for my traveling musical convention has never been fully appreciated by me. It was the witching hour of 1 A. M., when church yards yawn. Everything was hushed, and stillness reigned profound. I commenced to sing, "I Bring a Little Flower to Thee." Sophia was hanging out of the window, and it was through her solicitation that I endeavored to warble this cussed piece: "I Bring a Little Flower to Thee."—Sophia's tyrannical pap stuck his head out of the window, and in a voice of thunder roared: "Well, just set it on the door step, and don't make so much fuss about such a cussed little flower."

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Congressional Reconstruction Acts.

For the information of our readers we republish as follows the late reconstruction act of Congress, known as the Sherman-Shellabarger bill. We shall add to it the Howard Amendment, Test Oath and the Supplementary act, all of which will be kept standing until the necessary information they contain shall be generally and fully understood.

THE RECONSTRUCTION ACT.

AN ACT to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States.

[Passed over the President's Veto, March 2d, 1867.]

WHEREAS no legal State governments or adequate protection for life or property now exists in the rebel States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Florida, Texas, and Arkansas; and whereas it is necessary that peace and good order should be enforced in said States until loyal and Republican State Governments can be legally established: Therefore,

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That said rebel States shall be divided into military districts and made subject to the military authority of the United States, as hereinafter prescribed, and for that purpose Virginia shall constitute the first district; North Carolina and South Carolina the second district; Georgia, Alabama and Florida the third district; Mississippi and Arkansas the fourth district; and Louisiana and Texas the fifth district.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the President to assign to the command of each of said districts an officer of the army, not below the rank of Brigadier general, and to detail a sufficient military force to enable such officer to perform his duties and enforce his authority within the district to which he is assigned.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of each officer assigned as aforesaid to protect all persons in their rights of person and property, to suppress insurrection, disorder and violence, and to punish, or cause to be punished all disturbers of the public peace and criminals, and to this end he may allow local civil tribunals to take jurisdiction of and try offenders, or when in his judgement it may be necessary for the trial of offenders, he shall have power to organize military commissions or tribunals for that purpose, and all interference, under color of State authority, with the exercise of military authority under this act shall be null and void.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That all persons put under military arrest by virtue of this act shall be tried without unnecessary delay, and no cruel or unusual punishment shall be inflicted; and no sentence of any military commission or tribunal hereby authorized, affecting the life or liberty of any person, shall be executed until it is approved by the officer in command of the district, and the laws and regulations for the government of the army shall not be affected by this act, except in so far as they conflict with its provisions. Provided, That no sentence of death, under the provisions of this act, shall be carried into effect without the approval of the President.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That when the people of any one of said rebel States shall have formed a constitution of government in conformity with the Constitution of the United States in all respects, framed by a convention of delegates elected by the male citizens of said State, twenty one years old and upwards, of whatever race, color or previous condition, who have been resident in said State for one year previous to the day of such elections, except such as may be disfranchised for participation in the rebellion, or for felony at common law; and when such constitution shall provide that the elective franchise shall be enjoyed by all such persons as have the qualifications herein stated for electors of delegates; and when such constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the persons voting on the question of ratification, who are qualified as electors for delegates; and when such Constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the persons voting on the question of ratification, who are qualified as electors for delegates; and when such constitution shall have been submitted to Congress for examination and approval, and Congress shall have approved the same; and when the said State, by a vote of its legislature, elected under said constitution, shall have adopted the amendment to the constitution of the United States, proposed by the Thirty-ninth Congress, and known as article fourteen; and when said article shall have become a part of the constitution of the United States, said State shall be declared entitled to representation in Congress, and Senators and Representatives shall be admitted therefrom, on their taking the oath prescribed by law; and then and thereafter the preceding sections of this act shall be inoperative in said State. Provided, That no person excluded from the privilege of holding office by said amendment to the constitution of the United States shall be eligible to election as a member of the convention to frame a constitution for any of said rebel States, nor shall any such person vote for members of such convention.

SEC. 6. And be it further enacted, That until the people of said rebel States shall be by law admitted to representation in the Congress of the United States, any civil government which may exist therein shall be deemed provisional only, and in all respects subject to the paramount authority of the United States at any time to abolish, modify, control or supersede the same; and in all elections to any office under such provisional governments all persons shall be entitled to vote, and none others, who are entitled to vote under the provisions of the fifth section of this act; and no person shall be eligible to any office under such provisional governments who would be disqualified from holding office under the provisions of the third article of said constitutional amendment.

SCHUYLER COLFAX.
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

LAFAYETTE S. FOSTER,
President of the Senate *pro tem.*

The following is the Constitutional Amendment referred to in the 4th section of the Sherman Bill:

Proposed Constitutional Amendment.

ARTICLE XIV.

Section 1. All persons born or naturalized in the United States and subject to the jurisdiction thereof are citizens of the United States and of the State wherein they reside. No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty or property without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.

Sec. 2. Representatives shall be apportioned among the several States according to their respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each State excluding Indians not taxed. But when the right to vote at any election for the choice of electors for President and Vice-President of the United States, representatives in Congress, executive and judicial officers of a State, or the members of the Legislature thereof, is denied to any of the male inhabitants of such State being twenty-one years of age and citizens of the United States, or in any way abridged except for participation in rebellion or other crime, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole number of male citizens twenty-one years of age in such State.

Sec. 3. No person shall be a Senator or Representative in Congress, or elector of President and Vice-President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States or under any State, who, having previously taken an oath as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof. But Congress may, by a vote of two-thirds of each House, remove such disability.

Sec. 4. The validity of the public debt of the United States authorized by law, including debts incurred for payment of pensions and bounties for services in suppressing insurrection or rebellion, shall not be questioned. But neither the United States nor any State shall assume or pay any debt or obligation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or any claim for the loss or emancipation of any slave; but all such debts, obligations and claims, shall be held illegal and void.

Sec. 5. The Congress shall have power to enforce by appropriate legislation the provisions of this article.

The following is the oath of office referred to in the 5th section of the bill, and also in the 6th of the Supplementary Bill:

An Act to Prescribe an Oath of Office and for Other Purposes.

Be it enacted, That hereafter any person elected or appointed to any office of honor or profit under the government of the United States, either in the civil, military or naval department of the public service, except the President of the United States, shall before entering upon the duties of such office, and before being entitled to any of the salary or other emolument thereof, take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation: "I, A B, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the U. S. since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have never sought nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever, under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States; that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, power or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto; and I do further swear (or affirm) that to the best of my knowledge and ability, I will support and defend the constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion, and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God," which oath, so taken and signed, shall be preserved among the files of the Court, Houses of Congress, or the department to which said officer may appertain. And any person who may falsely take said oath shall be guilty of perjury, and on conviction, in addition to the penalties now prescribed for that offence, shall be deprived of his office, and rendered incapable, forever after, of holding any office or place under the United States.

Approved July 2, 1862.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE STEVENS-SHERMAN-SHELLABARGER BILL.

AN ACT supplemental to an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, passed March 2, 1867, and to facilitate restoration.

Be it enacted &c., That before the first day of September, 1867, the commanding general in each district defined by the act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, approved March 2, 1867, shall cause a registration to be made of the male citizens of the United States, twenty-one years of age, and upwards, resident in each county or parish in the State or States included in his district, which registration will include only those persons who are qualified to vote for delegates by the act aforesaid, and who shall have taken and subscribed the following oath or affirmation:

"I, ——, do solemnly swear, or affirm, in the presence of Almighty God, that I am a citizen of the State of ——; that I have resided in said State for —— months next preceding this day, and now reside in the county of ——, or the parish of ——, in said state, as the case may be; that I am 21 years old; that I have not been disfranchised for participation in any rebellion or civil war against the United States, nor for felony committed against the laws of any State or of the United States; that I have never been a member of any State Legislature, or held any executive or judicial office in any State, and afterwards engaged in insurrection and rebellion against the United States, and given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof; that I have never taken an oath as a member of Congress of the United States, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, and afterwards engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof; that I will faithfully support the Constitution and obey the laws of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, encourage others so to do. So help me God," or which oath or affirmation may be administered by any registering officer.

Sec. 2. That after the completion of the registration hereby provided for in any State at such time and place therein as the commanding general shall appoint and direct, of which at least thirty day's public notice shall be given, an election shall be held of delegates to a convention for the purpose of establishing a constitution and civil government for such State loyal to the Union; said convention in each State, except Virginia, to consist of the same number of members as the most numerous branch of the State Legislature of such State in the year 1860, to be apportioned among the several districts, counties, or parishes of such State by the commanding general, giving to each representation in the ratio of voters registered as aforesaid as nearly as may be. The convention in Virginia shall consist of the same number of members as represented the territory now constituting Virginia in the most numerous branch of the Legislature of said State in the year 1860, to be apportioned as aforesaid.

Sec. 3. That at such election the registered voters of each State shall vote for or against a convention to form a constitution thereof under this act. Those voting in favor of such a convention shall have written or printed on the ballots by which they vote for delegates, as aforesaid, the words "for a convention;" and those voting against such a convention shall have written or printed on such ballots the words "against a convention." The persons appointed to superintend said election, and to make return of the votes given thereat, as herein provided, shall count and make return of the votes given for and against a convention; and the commanding general, to whom the same shall have been returned, shall ascertain and declare the total vote in each State for and against a convention. If a majority of the votes given on that question shall be for a convention, then a convention shall be held, as hereinafter provided; but if a majority of said votes shall be against a convention, then no convention shall be held under this act: *Provided*, That such convention shall not be held unless a majority of all such registered voters shall have voted on the question of holding such convention.

Sec. 4. That the commanding general of each district shall appoint such loyal officers or persons as may be necessary, not exceeding three in each election district, in any State, to make and complete the registration, superintend the election, and make return to him of the votes, lists of voters and of the persons elected as delegates by a plurality of the votes cast at said election; and upon receiving said returns he shall open the same, ascertain the persons elected as delegates according to the returns of the officers who conducted said election, and make proclamation thereof; and if a majority of the votes given on that question shall be for a convention, the commanding general, within sixty days from the date of election, shall notify the delegates to assemble in convention at a time and place to be mentioned in the notification, and said convention, when organized, shall proceed to frame a Constitution and civil government according to the provisions of this act, and the act to which it is supplementary; and when the same shall have been so framed, said Constitution shall be submitted by the convention for ratification to the persons registered under the provisions of this act, at an election to be conducted by the officers, or persons appointed by the commanding general as hereinbefore provided, and to be held after the expiration of thirty days from the date of notice thereof to be given by said convention, and the returns thereof shall be made to the commanding general of the district.

Sec. 5 That if, according to said returns, the constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the votes of the registered electors qualified as herein specified, cast at said election, at least one-half of all the registered voters voting upon the question of such ratification, the president of the convention shall transmit a copy of the same, duly certified, to the President of the United States, who shall forthwith transmit the same to Congress, if then in session, and if not in session, then immediately upon its next assembling; and if it shall moreover appear to Congress that the election was one at which all the registered and qualified electors in the State had an opportunity to vote freely and without restraint, fear or the influence of fraud, and if Congress shall be satisfied that such constitution meets the approval of a majority of the qualified electors in the State, and if the said constitution shall be declared by Congress to be in conformity with the provisions of the act to which this is supplementary, and the other provisions of said act shall have been complied with, and the said constitution shall be approved by Congress, the State shall be declared entitled to representation, and Senators and Representatives shall be admitted therefrom as herein provided.

Sec. 6. That all elections in the States mentioned in the said "Act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States," shall, during the operation of said act, be by ballot; and all officers making the said registration of voters and conducting said elections shall, before entering upon the discharge of their duties, subscribe an oath faithfully to perform the duties of their said office, and the oath prescribed by the act approved July 2, 1862, entitled "An act to prescribe an oath of office:" Provided, That if any person shall knowingly and falsely take and subscribe any oath in this act prescribed, such person so offending, and being thereof duly convicted, shall be subject to the pains, penalties and disabilities which by law are provided for the punishment of the crime of wilful and corrupt perjury.

Sec. 7. That all expenses incurred by the several commanding generals, or by virtue of any orders issued or appointments made by them under or by virtue of this act, shall be paid out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 8. That the convention for each State shall prescribe the fees, salary, and compensation to be paid to all delegates and other officers and agents herein authorized or necessary to carry into effect the purposes of this act, not herein otherwise provided for, and shall provide for the levy and collection of such taxes on the property in such State as may be necessary to pay the same.

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